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WELCOME DOCTORS

Dr. Anderson Addresses Delegates at Court House--Scientific Exhibit Attracts Wide Attention

LECTURE AND RECEPTION TONIGHT ARE BIG EVENTS

About three hundred of the leading physicians of the state are assembled in La Crosse today for the purpose of attending the convention of the State Medical society, now in session at the circuit courtroom of the new court house.

The entire second floor of the court house has been placed at the disposal of the doctors and the smaller rooms will be used as exhibit rooms and for the smaller meetings, the convention being held in the circuit courtroom.

The regular convention was called to order at 11 o'clock this morning, although there was a preliminary meeting of the physicians executive council at the Y. M. C. A. last evening.

President C. W. Oviatt called the session to order after which the following program was followed:

Call to order—President C. W. Oviatt.

Invocation—Rev. C. N. Moller.

Welcome—Ex-Mayor Dr. W. A. Anderson.

Response—President Oviatt.

Committee reports:

Edward Evans on arrangements.

W. H. Washburn on program.

W. T. Sarles on council.

2:00 p. m.—At court house, address by President Oviatt.

Discussion of papers by W. C. Witte, Milwaukee; W. E. Fairchild, Green Bay; Nelson M. Black, Milwaukee; C. J. Comos, Oshkosh; Chester, M. Echols, Appleton.

8:00 to 9:00 p. m.—At Y. M. C. A., lecture on tuberculosis by Dr. Victor C. Vaughn.

9:00 to 11 p. m.—At Hotel Stoddard, reception to visitors.

The member of the executive council who held a session last night at the Y. M. C. A. auditorium were as follows:

H. B. Sears, Beaver Dam.
J. G. Meachem, Racine.
F. T. Nye, Racine.
C. A. Armstrong, Boscobel.
J. F. Pritchard, Manitowoc.
J. S. Walbridge, Sparta.
T. J. Redelings, Marinette.
D. L. Sauerhering, Wausau.
E. L. Boothby, Hammond.
J. M. Dodd, Ashland.
A. T. Holbrook, Milwaukee.

All delegates are requested to report at the desk of the registration clerk as soon as they arrive in the city, and register and receive their badges. The clerk is located in the entrance to the court room.

The physicians have their headquarters at the Stoddard hotel but as the hotel has been crowded during the past week, many who were unable to find rooms there have been accommodated in the homes of local physicians and some in private room furnished by the hotels.

Great Lecture.

Great interest has been manifested in the lecture on tuberculosis which will be given by Prof. Victor Vaughn of Ann Arbor this evening at the Y. M. C. A. auditorium. The professor will arrive in the city at 5:30 this evening and the lecture which will last about an hour, will begin at 8 o'clock.

The most important session of the convention is that of this afternoon. The papers and leaders of discussion are as follows:

Ectopic Pregnancy—Dr. W. C. F. Witte, Milwaukee. Discussion opened by C. H. Lemon, Milwaukee; C. C. Graftiot, Shullsburg.

The Permissibility of Medical Abortion—D. W. E. Fairfield, Green Bay. Discussion opened by T. J. Redelings, Marinette; J. R. Barnett, Necedah.

Squint—Dr. Nelson M. Black, Milwaukee. Discussion opened by J. A. Bradfield, La Crosse; G. E. Seaman, Milwaukee.

The Clinical Aspects of Diabetes—Dr. C. J. Combs, Oshkosh. Discussion opened by F. W. A. Brown, Oshkosh; B. Clark, Oshkosh.

The Present Status of the Surgical Treatment of Undescended Testicle—Dr. Chester M. Echols, Appleton. Discussion opened by W. E. Fairfield, Green Bay; A. H. Levings, Milwaukee.

Dr. Anderson's Address.

Dr. W. A. Anderson's speech of welcome this morning was well delivered and was really a feature of the day. Interspersed with humor and witticisms, the doctor's discourse was well received by the physicians and during the whole speech he held the undivided attention of his listeners.

The speaker apologized for the absence of Mayor Torrance, with the explanation that he was, owing to business matters, unable to be present and that the committee had substituted himself after exhorting him to cut his speech short.

Dr. Anderson on the behalf of the mayor and citizens of La Crosse welcomed the members of the convention to the city and extended them a cordial greeting. He assured them that the La Crosse physicians were glad to be able to receive them and felt honored at the honor bestowed.

"The doctors here, however," he said, "have become schooled in adversity and I will not distribute any flowers or cast any boquets, for these must be left for the patients after the physicians are through with them."

Speaking of La Crosse the speaker touched lightly upon the beautiful streets, drives and buildings. He said in part:

As to the Police.

"In strolling about the city, don't become nervous if you see large beautiful placards attached to our beautiful trees and poles bearing exhortations to call at the police station and pay up your dog tax. I assure you gentlemen, this notice is only meant by the police for the delinquent citizens of La Crosse, and you need not be troubled on that score."

Speaking of down town street and recent improvements Mr. Anderson said: "We once had a mayor in this city who had a great antipathy for poles. This was about four years ago, and since that time most of our unsightly obstructions of this nature have been removed from the downtown streets. But if you chance to see, when walking about beautiful La Crosse, that some of these poles are embellished with handbills, notices and cards advising you to 'take Dr. Dopo's dope,' or any other specific, we want you to remember that these embellishments are in lieu of a coat of paint and an inscription, 'post no bills,' ordered by our council four years ago.

Believes in Signs.

"Now in extending to you a welcome to La Crosse it is also necessary for me to give you a countersign, and one that has some significance. Now the chief of police has authorized me to instruct you that when you are out late in the evening, and happen to stroll on Main street, the countersign will be for you to glance up and look at the signs extending out from the buildings and remember that these should be only three feet in length."

Key to City.

The speaker then tendered to the doctors a large wooden key, on behalf of the police department, which he explained was a key to the town. He closed by advising them to take advantage of the privileges extended and extending them a hearty welcome on the part of La Crosse citizens.

The court house has been almost abandoned to the physicians, and several of the offices were practically deserted today.

The entire upper floor is devoted to the convention and its exhibits.

Scientific Exhibits.

Scientific exhibits are located in the jury room. Here are arrayed almost every kind of instruments and appliances used in the medical profession. W. R. Grady and Co., of Chicago, have an interesting exhibit of hospital furniture, and sterlizing apparatus. Frazier W. Hurlburt of Chicago, representing the Keasley and Mattison company, is present with an interesting exhibit of coverings and textiles.

S. G. Scanlan of the Scanlan Morris company, is demonstrating hospital and physician's furniture.

An exhibit by the Abbott Alkaloidal company of Chicago, in charge of W. H. Hayden of Milwaukee, is interesting in demonstrating the use of these valuable drugs.

C. F. Hawley of Indianapolis, representing the W. D. Allison company, physicians' [illegible] outfitters, is de-

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FLOODS CAUSE DAMAGE

Train Plunges Through Bridge---Mills are Swept Away

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

MILWAUKEE, June 8.—A freight train broke through a bridge west of Barron today. Two brakemen and the fireman were seriously injured and may die. The bridge was weakened by the flood. At Ridgeland, Scott's flouring mills were wrecked and the dam at Prairie Farm has gone out. The loss is $50,000. The flood loss near Negaunee is nearly $100,000. Kingston mills at the Dells were swept away.

BLOW SAFE, BUT GET NOTHING

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

PARIS, Ill., June 8.—The Edgar County National bank was wrecked by dynamite early this morning. Two adjoining stores were demolished. The safe containing the funds is intact and the burglars secured nothing.

Wis. Democrats Plan to Entertain W. J. Bryan

(Special Tribune Dispatch.)

MADISON, Wis., June 8.—The democracy of Wisconsin will entertain in honor of Col. William J. Bryan, twice the presidential candidate of the parties allied against the republicans. The occasion will be the appearance in Madison of the distinguished Nebraskan, July 28. He comes here to speak at the Monona Lake assembly and the opportunity is embraced by leading members of the democratic party in Wisconsin to tender him a reception and dinner. The failure of Col. William F. Vilas to appear in the matter is remarked upon.

Plans to this end have been quietly progressing for several weeks, the moving spirits being prominent Madison democrats, and the formal announcement was made yesterday, in the form of a resolution signed by all but two of the democratic members of the legislature. It is understood that these two members were favorable to the enterprise but could not join in signing the announcement, being absent from the city.

Comment around the statehouse relative to the banquet involved numerous suggestions that deep democratic political significance was carried by this movement, but nothing substantiative of this was learned from the signers of the resolution, who declared that it was only to be an occasion of democratic felicity and an enjoyable social occasion with the famous leader of the party as the guest of honor.

It is assured that Col. Bryan will accept the invitation to grace the function with his presence. The desire of the movers in the affair was communicated to him and his consent to have the plans proceed has been obtained, in a letter which came to Madison this week. It is understood that the principal address at the dinner will be by the chief guest and that there will be a number of other speakers. Expectation is already deevloping that the words of Col. Bryan will take the form of an address of guidance to the democratic party of the nation and that it may have large influence.

POSTMASTER'S PAY REDUCED

Information has been sent out from Washington that the pay of the postmaster at Bangor, Wis., has been reduced from $1,100 per year to $1,000.

HALIFAX, June 8.—As the result of an explosion in the Inverness coal mine this morning sixteen are known to be injured.

"BONAPARTE" THE NEW HEAD OF NAVY DEPARTMENT



CHARLES J. BONAPARTE

(New York Herald Special.)

NEW YORK, June 5.—Charles Joseph Bonaparte, who will succeed Paul Morton as Secretary of the navy has an interesting record. Two years ago President Roosevelt selected him as special counsel for the government with Holmes Conrad, of New York in the investigation of the postal frauds. The president chose Mr. Bonaparte because of his implacable hatred of "grafters." Soon after he went to work he had a controversy with Charles Emory Smith, former postmaster general. Postmaster General Payne did not like the appointment. His party record was questioned, and he was the subject of scarcastic remarks by Representative Grosvenor, but he maintained that he was an "independent republican."

PEACE SEEMS CERTAIN; U. S. MAY BE ASKED TO TAKE INITIATIVE

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

ST. PETERSBURG, June 8.—It is reported on good authority that Ambassador Meyer's audience with the emperor at Tsarkoeselo yesterday was preceded by a family council at which the decision was reached that peace was entertainable if Japan's conditions are not too onerous.

Czar Seeks Peace?

VIENNA, June 8.—The New Free Press publishes a report received from a banking house at Trieste saying the Czar appealed directly to President Roosevelt asking him to mediate between Russia and Japan.

Calls on President.

WASHINGTON, June 8.—Ambassador Jusserand called on the president at 9:30 this morning. It is believed he received a dispatch from his government as to the attitude of Russia regarding peace.

Manifesto Not Issued.

ST. PETERSBURG, June 8.—Russians are generally celebrating ascension day. The expected imperial manifesto convoking the projected national assembly was not issued.

Russ Charge, Then Flee.

TOKIO, June 8.—Oyama reports: "On the morning of June 7, the body of the Russians advanced upon Yinyipiemen, but were repulsed and fled in confusion northeast with the exception of skirmishes between scouts there is no change to report."

Busy at Washington.

WASHINGTON, June 8.—Secretary Taft had a talk with the president this morning regarding the Russo-Japanese situation. He declined to make a statement.

Doubt Peace Talk.

BERLIN, June 8.—The German foreign office is very skeptical at the outcome of present peace efforts. It is believed the peace rumors are premature and that one or more crushing defeats to Russia's land forces are necessary before overtures for peace will be begun.

FLOODS ENDANGER GRAND RAPID'S PEOPLE

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., June 8.—Two hundred men and fifty teams worked all night strengthening the dyke which holds back the water from the west side. The river is rising steadily, the low section north of the city being rapidly submerged. Whole families are fleeing to safety. The city market is flooded and railroad bridges are in danger.

Draws Handsome Rocker at Bijou

Last evening at the Bijou theatre Mr. Rudolph Spike, 1508 South Seventh street, drew the handsome $10 oak rocker which was given away free by the management. The chair is a fine one of a patented design.

Tonight the Bijou will give away another piece of furniture to the holder of the lucky ticket. The prizes range in value from $6.00 to $25.00.

Go to the Bijou tonight.

NEW GOVERNMENT GETTING ON ITS FEET

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

CHRISTIANIA, June 8.—M. Loveland has been appointed minister of foreign affairs by the new government. All officers of the army and navy took the oath of allegiance today. The Norwegian diplomatic officers at Stockholm were recalled.

OLD LA CROSSE MAN DIES AT BLACK RIVER FALLS

Word was received here today of the death of M. M. Post, a former La Crosse resident, at Black River Falls. The cause of Mr. Post's death is supposed to be general debility and old age, as he was past sixty years of age. He was a prominent member of the G. A. R. and was proprietor of the Freeman House of Black River Falls. Deceased leaves a family of two boys and one girl. He was a brother of Night Seageant S. S. Post of this city and is well known here. He left La Crosse about 10 years ago for Black River Falls where he has since resided.

Read the Tribune—the paper that stands for justice in all things.

HILDRETH HIGH CHIEF

Fon du Lac Man Succeeds Parker as Head of Wisconsin Foresters--Carriage Ride This Afternoon

END ELECTION AND INSTALL HIGH OFFICERS TONIGHT

The High Court I. O. F today elected the following new officers, Dr. Hildreth succeeding Mr. Parker of Milwaukee for High Chief Ranger:

High Chief Ranger—Dr. Geo. A. Hildreth, Fond du Lac.

High Vice Ranger—Zeno M. Host, Madison.

High Secretary—J. C. Proctor, Madison.

High Treasurer—A. J. Nelson, Racine.

High Counsellor—W. W. Gilman, Boscobel.

High Physician—Dr. C. W. Rodecker, Wonewoc.

The morning session was almost entirely taken up by the business session and the election.

When the noon recess was taken the election was not complete and the following officers have been recommended for eelction at this evening's session when the business of the convention will be wound up:

High Auditor—Hathisen, T. O. Mark.

Supreme Representative—Miss D. Shook, C. K. Tenny, Geo. B. Marvin.

Following the election will come the installation of officers.

Carriage Ride.

After the business session which ended shortly afternoon the delegates and their ladies assembled at the court house where a long line of carriages were in waiting. They were driven about the city, to the various parks and drives, etc. They visited Petibone park during the afternoon.

The procession of carriages was over a mile long and taxed the local liveries to their utmost to supply the demand. Among other places visited were the fair grounds and the golf links.

One of the most striking and handsome rigs in the vast number which carried the Foresters was that which headed the procession with Deputy Supreme Chief Ranger W. A. Crouch and Mr. Robertson. The rig, which is the property of Wilson & Robertson, is natural wood finish and is handsomely mounted in gold. The harness matches beautifully and is also elaborately trimmed with gold fittings.

WARSHIPS NEEDED FOR GRAVE "COMPLICATIONS"

TROUBLE FOR U. S. MAY BE BREWING

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

NEW YORK, June 8.—The sailing of the squadron to France to bring home the body of John Paul Jones which was booked for today is indefinitely postponed upon order of the war department.

The report is current that the postponement is due to "grave foreign complications," one of which is said to be the discovery that Germany has secured a strategic base in the Carribeans.

Eight Thousand More Out in the Strike

CHICAGO, June 8.—Following a failure of a conference of the teamsters and employers to agree on peace terms, a special meeting of the team owners was called to consider the question of delivering goods to boycotted firms. Chairman Rend of the team owners committee said today that he would urger the association to begin immediate deliveries.

This means a lockout of eight thousand truck drivers. President Shea announced this morning that teamsters expected an addition of $22,000 to the strike fund, and were perpared to keep up the fight.

EXPLOSIONS SEND SUBMARINE DOWN

ONLY FOUR OF EIGHTEEN RESCUED

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

PLYMOUTH, June 8.—While submarine boat "A8" was maneuvering off port this morning three explosions occurred and the boat sunk. Of the eighteen men aboard only four were rescued. Divers are at work on the sunken vessel.

Story of Disaster.

The submarine lies at eight fathoms. The first intimation of the disaster came when the submarine signaled that she was submerged and could not come to the surface.

A signal received shortly before noon said:

"All right up to present time."

Those saved were standing in the vicinity of the conning tower at the time of the disaster and were picked up by a passing trawler. They were Lieut. Candy, commander; Sub-Lieut. Murdoch, a petty officer and seaman.

OUTSIDE CIGARETTES ARE NOT ILLEGAL

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

INDIANAPOLIS, June 8.—Judge Leathers today held that the anti-cigarette law does not apply to cases where cigarettes are imported into the state, as that would conflict with the interstate commerce act. The defendant was dismissed as the cigarette in his possession was imported from Louisville.

Get the Bijou habit—you'll enjoy it.

DISAPPEARS ON EVE OF HIS WEDDING

August Blinn, a steam thresher engineer, about 35 years of age, a resident of Mayville township, is lost and parties are out searching for him. He was in Caledonia, Monday and drew $300 from the Bank of Caledonia. He had a horse and buggy and drove to La Crosse the same day returning to Frank Meyer's farm in Union township the same evening. Between twelve and one o'clock Tuesday morning he left Meyer's place with the horse and buggy to go to Albert Wolfe's place in Union township, but has not been seen since. Yesterday he was to have been married to Miss Hannah Wolf, a very excellent young woman about 20 years of age.

THE IDEAL TABLE WATER

CROWN LITHIA

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::: NORTH SIDE BOTTLING WORKS :::

North Side News

BLACK RIVER MAY YET BE CAUSE OF SERIOUS FLOOD

Water is Rising Fast and Railroads Suffer on Various Minor Divisions

The water is rising fast in Black river. It is said that during a few hours this morning it rose nearly one foot an hour.

Several of the roads leading to Trow's mill are flooded with water and it is still rising.

It is said that it rose six inches an hour yesterday at Black River Falls.

The foundation for the new lighting plant is now entirely completed, and just in time, for the water will soon be where the finishing touch has been made.

On account of the washouts on the Northwestern roads two of their passengers, No. 563 and 508, ran over the Milwaukee road, through the north side this morning. One ran west and the other east between Grand Crossing where they go on the Milwaukee road to Winona where they transfer back on their own tracks.

The principal damage has been done in the vicinity of Lyttles.

The pile driver and crews of the Milwaukee road were sent to the valley division last evening to drive piles and repair the tracks where washouts had occurred.

Nearly all of the washouts were north of Grand Rapids.

VALUABLE HOUNDS KILLED

Two of John Wacher's large hounds were shot yesterday by some miscreant.

When the man who drives to the farm every morning reached the farm he found the dogs near the gate, one of which had been killed and the other seriously wounded.

The dogs are of a quiet nature and Mr. Wachter considered them invaluable on his farm. It is not known for a certainty who shot the dogs but several people have been suspected and when enough evidence has been found they will be arrested.

BURLINGTON'S NEW SAND HOUSE

A large sandhouse has been installed by the Burlington road in connection with the coal chute which was recently built there.

It is located at the lower end of the chute.

PROGRAM IS WEARING OUT

The stock company at the opera house announces that it will repeat tonight one of the plays it heretofore put on during its engagement. As the house was only about half full last night for a second performance of "Down where the Cotton Blossoms Grow," it is not considered likely that a repetition of the other plays in the company's repertoire will draw. While the lower floor at the opera house was pretty well filled last night the ushers and house attendants had almost undisputed sway in the balcony and gallery.

BENEFIT SUPPER

A supper for the benefit of the St. James church will be given this evening by the ladies of the Catholic Order of Foresters, in their hall at 715 street, over the R. Schulze bakery.

The attendance will doubtless be large.

See Their Brother Slain

OSHKOSH, Wis., June 8.—Albert Babbitz, a retired lake captain, was struck by an electric car and instantly killed. His body was pinioned beneath the car and it was necessary to use jack screws to liberate. The accident occurred in front of the two houses in which his two sisters live and in sight of members of their families.

NORTH SIDE BRIEFS

Three thousand cords dry 16 inch pine mill wood, $3.75 per load. Thomas & Phalon Coal Co., 700 Rose street. Both phones.

A large engine was derailed last evening on the Burlington road at Bagley, Wis., and No. 47 which is due here at 3:43 a. m. arrived shortly before 9 and No. 49 which is due about 8:30 arrived at 9:10.

Louis Johnson, foreman of the Switchboard department of the Vought-Berger Co., has returned from a few days business trip in the southern part of the state. Business is rushing at the Vought-Berger plant at present.

Thomas Nordlein has returned from Pine Bluff, Ark., where he is in the employ of the Sawyer & Austin Lumber Co.

A. H. Miles, druggist at Iron River, was in the city yesterday on business. He left today for West Salem where he will visit his sister, Miss Lida Miles who graduates from the high school at that place tomorrow.

Sixteen cars of birch logs left the north side this morning for Muscatine, Iowa.

Mrs. J. J. Noem and children are the guests of relatives and friends in Minneapolis for a few days.

William Neitzel of Tomah is the guest of A. Steilo and family of Sumner street. Mr. Neitzel is attending the school of telegraphy on the south side.

W. S. Cozad and son will arrive this afternoon from Meadeville, Pa., for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Krell of Berlin street.

The city will put in a new watering trough on the south side of Gillette between Kane and George streets in a few days. The trough is already there, but has not been connected.

No License to Brewers at Racine

RACINE, Wis., June 8.—All saloonkeepers in this city must secure new licenses by July 1, when the old ones expire, or the saloons will be closed. Brewing companies will not be allowed to obtain licenses and place agents to conduct the saloons, as each license must bear the name of the person who acts as the proprietor. No license will be allowed to be transferred and if a saloonkeeper retires his successor must make application for a new license.

Very Low Rates to Toronto, Ont.

Via the Northwestern Line. Excursion tickets will be sold on June 18, 19, 21 and 22, with favorable return limits, on account of Triennial Convention, International Sunday School association. Apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern Ry.

Go to the Bijou tonight.

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FREE PRESS MAY YET BE STATE PAPER

(Tribune Special Dispatch.)

MADISON, Wis., June 8.—The senate spent the entire morning debating the Stout bill to keep the saloon away from the schools. A recess was taken until after dinner.

The assembly advanced the bill to make the Milwaukee Free Press the official state paper 54 to 20, also a bill to place the clerk of the supreme court on a salary instead of the rich-fees. The bill to provide for the appointment of a woman as an additional member of the state board of control, charities and penal institutions was defeated 38 to 36.

The Dunn pocket ballot bill was advanced and is likely to be concurred in, having already passed the senate. It provides for the use of the "card and envelopes" system of voting instead of the part sheet ballot system.

NEW VAUDEVILLE TONGHT

A new program of vaudeville is to be presented at the Bijou tonight.

This is in special honor of the visiting doctors and Foresters and a large attendance of the delegates is expected. This is the first time the Bijou has presented a new program in the middle of the week and the vaudeville theatre should be filled to the doors.

Among the features will a "blackface act," to use a professional term, that cannot be equalled.

Reunion of Brothers After 20 Years

On the north side four brothers, who have not met in 20 years, have been holding a reunion which will terminate today by the return of the visitors to their respective homes. The brothers are aDniel Dineen of Berlin street where the union is being held; Pat H. Dineen of Leavenworth, Kas., and William and John Dineen of Madison, Wis.

Old Resident is Here

Mr. Charles Curtis, one of the former early residents of this city and now prominent in the west, is visiting in the city. Mr. Curtis is now a resident of Tacoma, Washington, and expects to spend several days visiting old friends here. He is largely interested in coal lands in the west.

TODAY'S MARKETS

Livestock Receipts.
(Edwards-Wood Co.)

Chicago, June 8.—Hog receipts, 28,000; left over, 4,871. Market 5c lower. Light, 5.15 to 5.40; mixed, 5.15 to 5.37; heavy, 4.50 to 5.35; rough, 4.55 to 5.05.

Cattle, 8,000; slow.

Sheep, 14,000; strong.

Omaha—Hogs, 13,000; cattle, 2,000; sheep, 700.

Kansas City—Hogs, 11,000; cattle, 4,000; sheep, 4,000.

Chicago Wheat.

Close June 8.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close
July	.85⅝	.88¼	.84⅞	.86¼
Sept.	.80⅞	.81⅝	.80½	.81⅝
Dec.	.80⅞	.81½	.80⅝	.81⅜
Corn—				
July	.51⅜	.52⅝	.51⅜	.52⅜
Sept.	.49⅞	.50¾	.49⅞	.50¾
Dec.	.48¼	.48¼	.48¼	.48¼
Oats—				
July	.30⅞	.31⅜	.30⅞	.31¼
Sept.	.28⅝	.29⅛	.28½	.29
Dec.	.29⅜	.29⅝	.29⅜	.29⅝
Pork—				
July	12.62	12.65	12.57	12.60
Sept.	12.95	12.95	12.87	12.90
Lard—				
July	7.35	7.37	7.35	7.35
Sept.	7.55	7.55	7.47	7.50
Ribs—				
July	7.37	7.35	7.35	7.35
Sept.	7.62	7.65	7.60	7.62

Minneapolis Wheat.

July	1.06⅞	1.08¾	1.04⅞	1.08⅝
Sept.	.83¾	.84⅞	.83⅜	.84⅞

Duluth Flax.

July	1.04	1.40	1.40	1.40
Oct.	1.26¼	1.26½	1.26	1.26½

Harry Hagen of Centerville is the guest of relatives and friends in the city for a few days.

CONDENSED TELEGRAMS

He Got Justice Quickly.

St. Paul, June 8.—Advices received at the headquarters of the Northern Pacific railroad here from Phillipsburg, Mont., to the effect that Clarence Young, who attempted to rob the express car of a Northern Pacific train two miles east of Bearmouth May 27, after he had dynamited the car, has been sentenced in the district court to serve fifty years in the Deer Lodge penitentiary.

Still Damp at Fond du Lac.

Fond du Lac, Wis., June 8.—Further damage from the flood is not expected, and the loss will not exceed the estimate of $100,000. Of this amount $15,000 is suffered by the country. Water still flows on several of the streets, and boats and rafts are being used for transporting supplies. The Bowen Manufacturing and the O. C. Steenberg plants have closed, water covering their engines.

Operation on Senator Dolliver.

Washington, June 8.—Senator Dolliver, of Iowa, has undergone an operation for an affection of the ducts in the upper part of the nose and above the right eye. Several weeks ago the senator, while returning from Iowa, where he went to attend the funeral of his father, contracted a severe cold which developed into neuralgia. The operation was entirely successful.

Towboat Sinks In the Canal.

Louisville, June 8.—After completing a journey of 1,800 miles without mishap the towboat W. W. O'Neill, one of the largest in the river service, struck an obstruction in the canal and sank at the foot of Eighth street. Captain Carrollton and crew of twenty-five escaped. The boat is worth $100,000.

Funeral of General Boynton.

Washington, June 8.—General Henry Van Ness Boynton was buried in Arlington National cemetery with distinctive military and civic honors. Although a civilian at the time of his death he was accorded a funeral befitting an officer of the rank at one time held in the United States army—that of a brigadier general. The funeral services at the New York Avenue Presbyterian church were conducted by Rev. Dr. Wallace Radcliffe and were attended by a representation of the Society of the Army of the Cumberland, the Loyal Legion and the Gridiron club.

Two Boys Cremate Themselves.

Atlantic City, N. J., June 8.—Two boys met a horrible death by cremation on the beach here. They were Ordner J. Dalane and William Jeffries, both of this city, 7 and 5 years old. The boys had gone to a brush heap on the beach front at New Hampshire avenue. They dug a hole beneath the pile and crawled under. It is believed they had matches, for soon the brush was ablaze, and before the boys could crawl out they were cremated.

Cameron Dam Goes Out.

Chetek, Wis., June 8.—Cameron dam on Thornapple river, over which the Dietz controversy with the Chippewa Logging and Boom company hinges, has gone out, and caused the destruction of many wagon bridges. Several towns in the county have been cut off, and there has been no rural letter delivery service since Monday. Only one steel bridge in the vicinity remained in its place. No lives are reported lost.

Ex-Banker Gets Three Years.

Lima, O., June 8.—William W. Leighton, convicted of forgery in connection with the wrecking of the Lima Savings Bank and Trust company, of which he was president, has been sentenced by Judge Mathers to serve three years in the Ohio penitentiary. He gave bond and his attorneys secured a stay of execution pending an appeal to the circuit court.

Mothers Are in Council.

Kansas City, June 8.—Millers from many parts of the United States are in attendance at the session of the third annual convention of the Millers' National Federation. One of the important questions that will come up before the convention finishes its work is the better protection in bills of lading for flour.

Secretary Hay En Route Home.

London, June 8.—Secretary Hay and Mrs. Hay left London at noon for Liverpool to board the White Star line steamer Baltic at Liverpool, whence they sailed for New York. The company attached a royal car to the boat train for the convenience of the secretary of state.

'Phone Regulating Bill Is Killed.

Madison, Wis., June 8.—The senate has killed the assembly bill prohibiting discriminations in telephone charges in cities of the same size. The senate concurred in the proposition to amend the state constitution. A strict deer hunting law was passed.

Washington Post Owner Dead.

Washington, June 8.—Beriah Wilkins, editor and proprietor of the Washington Post, is dead. He had an acquaintance with Grant, Hayes and Garfield, and was a conspicuous newspaper character of the national Capitol.

Death of an Iowa Pioneer.

Des Moines, Ia., June 8.—Barlow Granger, the first lawyer admitted to the Iowa bar, and founder of the first newspaper in Iowa, The Star, which he started in 1849, is dead. He was a former mayor of Des Moines.

House and Barn Burned.

Shelbyville, Ind., June 8. — The frame house and the barn of Edward Andrews, several miles northwest of here, were destroyed by fire. Loss, $12,000.

Excursion Tickets to Milwaukee, Wis.

Via the Northwestern Line, will be sold June 16 to 22, inclusive, with favorable return limits, on account of Biennial Meeting of Modern Woodmen. Apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern Ry.

WELCOME DOCTORS

(Continued from page 1.)

monstrating several pieces of physicians' office furniture.

One of the most interesting exhibits is that of the Vapor-Medicator company. This shows the latest scientific method of curing respiratory diseases by means of ammonium chloride vapors.

Owatonna Vichy Spring Water composes an exhibit by itself.

Dr. J. W. Van Winkle, M. D., is present with an exhibit of Eskays Food. Free samples are distributed, and the doctor is also serving a light luncheon and ice cream to the delegates. His exhibit is very interesting and is attracting considerable attention from the physicians. Neat souvenirs in the shape of a physician's card case and memorandum tab are being distributed by Mr. Van Winkle among the delegates.

Tomorrow morning's session will be called to order at nine o'clock. The following program will be followed:

Placenta Previa—Dr. G. A. Hipke, Milwaukee. Discussion opened by T. L. Harrington, Milwaukee; G. J. Kaumheimer, Milwaukee.

Aseptic Obstetrics—Dr. J. P. Cox, Spooner. Discussion opened by E. L. Boothby, Hammond; J. M. Dodd, Ashland.

The Newer Pathology—Dr. J. M. Beffel, Milwaukee. Discussion opened by O. Fiedler, Milwaukee; C. J. Combs, Oshkosh.

Causes and Symptoms of Cardiac Insufficiency—Dr. James D. Madison, Milwaukee. Discussion opened by W. H. Washburn, Milwaukee; F. R. Weber, Milwaukee; A. J. Patek, Milwaukee.

Infantile Scurvy, with Special Reference to Diagnosis—Dr. A. W. Gray, Milwaukee. Discussion opened by Thos. H. Hay, Milwaukee.

Afternoon Session, 2:00 O'clock.

The annual address in surgery—Hugh H. Young, associate professor Genito-Urinary Surgery, Johns Hopkins University. "The Present Status of the Surgery of the Prostate."

Arterio-Sclerosis—Dr. A. L. Potter, West Superior. Discussion opened by G. H. Conklin, West Superior; P. H. McGill, West Superior.

The State Society, the State University and State Medicine—Dr. Chas. R. Bardeen, Madison. Discussion opened by E. Evans, La Crosse; A. J. Puls, Milwaukee; Prof. H. L. Russell, Madison; C. A. Harper, Madison; U. O. B. Wingate, Milwaukee.

The Pathology and Non-Surgical Treatment of Injuries of the Stomach—Dr. Wilhelm Becker, Milwaukee. Discussion oped by Warren B. Hill, Milwaukee; Louis F. Jermain, Milwaukee.

6:00-10:00 p. m.

Steamboat excursion on the Mississippi river.

Special entertainment for ladies.

10:00 a. m. to 2:00 p. m.—Tally-ho coach-ride. There will be a drive about the city and its parks, followed by a luncheon at the Country club, and a trolley ride back to the city.

Visiting ladies are requested to register, with their husbands, at Medical Society headquarters as soon as they arrive in the city.

This Evening's Lecture.

Perhaps the event of the greatest general importance during the sessions of the convention will be the lecture on "Tuberculosis," at Y. M. C. A. hall this evening by Prof. Victor C. Vaughn of the University of Michigan.

The lecture will begin at 8 o'clock and will be followed by a reception and scientific exhibit at the Hotel Stoddard.

Hay Homeward Bound

(Scripps-McRae Dispatch.)

QUEENSTOWN, June 8.—Secretary Hay sailed this morning for the United States.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVORERS WILL NOT MEET

There will be no meeting of the city Christian Endeavor Friday night owing to the impossibility of securing necessary speakers.

NOTED CROOK DEAD



JAMES HOPE

(New York Herald Special.)

NEW YORK, June 6.—"Jimmy" Hope, a famous bank burglar, died Thursday night after an illness of only two hours' duration. His death was entirely unexpected, his fatal illness coming while he was conversing with his friend, "Pat" Sheedy, a former gambler, in the Lincoln Hotel, at Fifty-second street and Broadway.

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One acre of enclosed pasture will feed one steer 20 days.

One acre of average range will feed one steer 10 days.

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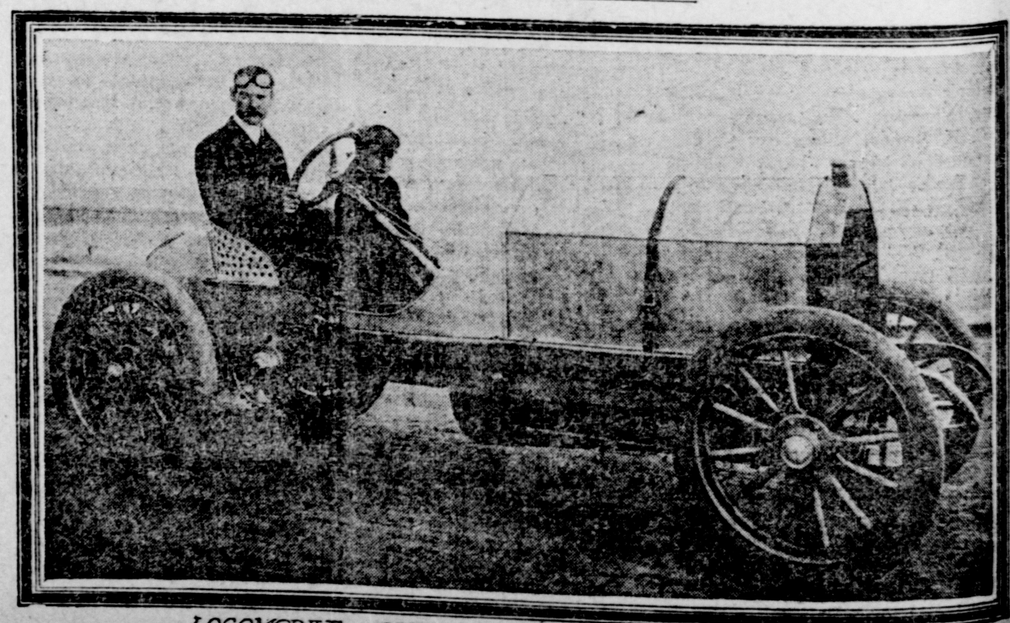
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SENATOR MORRIS TALKS FOR COMMON PEOPLE IN SENATE

(Special Tribune Dispatch.)

MADISON, Wis., June 8.—Senator Morris of La Crosse has made few speeches during his first session in the upper house of the legislature, but whenever he rises to speak he is given the closest attention by the senators, for it is established that he never speaks unless he has something valuable to say and he always gets down to the fundamental points of the question before the house. This was especially true in the debate on the Stout bill to keep saloons away from schools, in which he asked the opposition whether it was proposed that there was to be no protection of the girls and boys in the public schools and declared that there was no such thing as vested rights and interests in the saloon business for it was recognized that the saloon exist only by public sufference and that their toleration is merely a matter of license. Again in the debate on the two-cent fare bill he "hit the nail on the head" as friends remarked after the final vote had been taken. He declared that the people would not stand to have the railroads carry multitudes of favored people free or for very low rates, at an actual loss, and then make up on the common people who ride only when it is necessary and then have to pay the highest possible rate. He gave notice that the question would not be taken out or left out of politics until it was settled and settled in accordance with the will of the people of the state, as have been settled the question of equal taxation of the roads and the establishment of a powerful state railroad commission.

"There is not a senator here who is not in favor of a two-cent passenger fare bill if it is right," said Senator Morris; "and there is not a senator here who is able to show with any degree of conclusiveness that it is not right. The people will not be satisfied with the killing of this bill, as they were not satisfied with the repeated killing of the railroad taxation and the railroad rate commission bills, and this legislation will assuredly be secured."

Senator Munson briefly spoke in favor of the bill, declaring that he would vote for it because the bill was just to the railroads and to the citizens, because the people had a right to the equality it provided and because the people demanded and would have it. He denounced the present system of one of gross discrimination and one which taxes the poor for the advantage of the rich and influential.

Johnson Out-talked.

Senator Morris referred to the railroad attorneys "putting it over" Assemblyman Henry Johnson, the author of the bill. He declared that while Assemblyman Johnson had been out-numbered and out-talked, the fact remained that never had the arguments of the little assemblyman been answered.

Senator Morris recalled that the railroad attorneys had admitted that the average fare charge for passenger traffic was slightly more than two cents a mile and that the best figure given as representing the average rate was 2.01 cents a mile. He declared that many people must be traveling for little or nothing and that the roads would not lose anything if they equalized the rates and gave away fewer passes. Senator Morris was believed to have issued a challenge when he declared that the question would not be settled if the bill was killed, but would be kept in politics as have the other railroad issues that have been much heard of in Wisconsin for the last ten years. He said that the people want this law. They know what they want and they have studied the question out for themselves. They know that the average rate for passenger traffic is little more than two cents a mile and they properly feel the discrimination when they are charged at the maximum rate of three cents a mile. He made a strong point of the fact, as he stated it, that not a senator was present who did not favor a two-cent fare law if he knew it was right, but that not a senator was present who was able to show with any degree of conclusiveness that it was not right.

Special Excursion Rates to Colorado, Utah and the Black Hills,

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CONVICTED MILWAUKEE GRAFTER GIVES AWAY BLACK DEAL

CONFESSION INVOLVES SCORES OF PROMINENT BUSINESS MEN

Startling Condition in the City of Beer is Revealed

Milwaukee, June 8. — Grafting of astounding proportions, so widespread that it involves nearly all the county board—a score of them prominent business men—a score of contractors, many business men, and some of the highest officials in the public service here is revealed by the confession of Edward Strauss, convicted grafter. One hundred indictments are expected. Strauss, in a statement taken in shorthand by an official stenographer and signed, lays bare the system by which grafters robbed the county of several hundred thousand dollars, and gives the names of the scores of "deals," in many of which he was the "go-between."

There Is Corroborating Evidence.

The statement was made for presentation to the grand jury, and corroborative evidence already secured indicates that every assertion is true, and that a score of men who for years have plundered the public treasury will be tried for their thievery at the next term of court. But Strauss is not the only one who has "peached." It is also stated that a county official, one who during the last county campaign was under a cloud, has turned state's evidence. He found himself getting deeper in the district attorney's net and, it is said, confessed some days before Strauss made his revelations. It is said the district attorney will allow the county official to plead guilty and have a small fine imposed.

"Graft" Permeated Everything.

The names of those accused will not be made public until after the grand jury has acted, but a panic in the court house followed the revelations, and many men are going from one official to another, making a futile effort to "square things." The grafting extended to almost every county expenditure, it is declared, but the cases on which it is expected to secure convictions are in connection with the repair and rebuilding of the county hospital from the time when the plans of Architect Henry Lotter were adopted to the last contract on the building completed. On every contract let, he said there was a big "rake-off" for the supervisor.

Strauss Gives the Names.

Strauss said he acted as the "go-between" in most of the "deals" and gave the names of all supervisors, nearly a score, it is said, whom he paid money for their votes in order to secure the letting of the contract to the contractors who had agreed to pay the bribes. With few exceptions every member of the county board in which Strauss sat was implicated.

HE TELLS A STARTLING TALE

Plot of Officials to Award Contracts for Revenue Only.

The tale Strauss unfolded was startling in the extreme. It showed that a plot existed among the supervisors to award contracts regardless of the lowest bids, and that only those who agreed to "grease" the supervisors controlling the contracts, in nearly all cases, were considered. County interests were disregarded, thousands of dollars more paid for inferior work than the market prices, and large sums of money paid over to supervisors by successful contractors. An insight of the extent of the graft can be obtained when it is stated that one official whose record has always been considered above reproach is implicated on no less than eighteen counts.

The boodling started with the adoption of the Lotter plans. Lotter secured the contract because he outbid a competitor, who had put $1,500 in the hands of a contractor, to be turned over after his plans had been adopted. Lotter's agent promised and later paid more and his success was assured. The "rake-off" was not confined to the construction of the building, but extended to the furnishing of the interior. Records on every one of these contracts are now being looked up and the statement of Strauss of having paid money to other members of the board will to a large extent be borne out by their vote on record.

Strauss also gave the names of well-known business men who handed him bribes for distribution. Their names will create just as much surprise as the names of some of the supervisors who have shared in the illegal profits. Some of those implicated are still members of the board, and have passed before the public as great "reformers,' while secretly they have been carrying on corrupt practices.

Strauss was found guilty on May 17 in the first eight cases pending against him. This was on the charge of having accepted a bribe of $1,200 while a member of the board of supervisors for his influence in securing a contract for the Allan Corrugating and Cornice works to repair the roof of the old county hospital.

BAPTISTS WOULD NOT O. K. ROCKEFELLER

South Bend, Ind., June 8.—"Resolved, That we express ourselves against the present tendency to criticise the great Baptist brotherhood in the person of one of its most active members, and this in the face of the fact that there is no evidence to prove Mr. Rockefeller is or ever has been either directly or indirectly connected with conduct that is out of line with the highest morality."

This resolution caused a storm of protests at the convention of the Northern Indiana Baptists' association. It was voted down after vigorous comment, both in defense of it and in opposition to it. The draft of the resolution was drawn by Rev. Mr. Wheeler, of Elkhart, who introduced it and made a speech in defense of it. Rev. Mr. Lankin, of Mishawaka, also defended it. The protests were started by Rev. C. R. Parker, of Laporte, who, among other things, said: "Rotten things should be dealt with in the most rigid way."

Goddess of Liberty Deflected the Message

New York, June 8.—Ever since the installation of wireless telegraphy here many messages between ships at sea and this port have failed to reach their destination and the telegraph people concluded they were being stolen. Detectives were employed, but they could not unravel the mystery. Then experts were employed and they solved the puzzle.

Miss Liberty of Bedloe's island, who "enlightens the world," enlightened the experts. They found that the mighty statue, because of its great height, and the fact that it is made of bronze, thus making it a formidable conductor, had deflected the messages.

CLOSING OF FREIGHT HOUSES.

On and after June 10th, all freight houses will be closed at 1 p. m. every Saturday.

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JUNE BRIDES WEAR CREPE DE CHINE

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The princess gown is a strong favorite with the bride whose build and style and proportions will carry this somewhat trying design well. It has this advantage, this princess style, it adds several inches to the height of the little short girl by the reason of its straight, unbroken lines.

Harper's Bazaar says of the wedding gown:

"The princess model is always a favorite one to choose, and now that it is in fashion to have the front of the waist draped, it is far more becoming. No trimming is necessary on either silk or satin—that is on the skirt—while a lace yoke, and dainty cobwebby lace ruffle on the sleeve are all-sufficient. If a more elaborate effect is desired then an embroidered design worked out in silk with seer pearls or rhinestones, is effective on a wide band around the hem of the skirt, but somehow the plain rather severe style, that relies only on the beauty of the material and the graceful folds, seems smarter and more attractive."

A very lovely wedding gown of soft white satin is shown in one of the department stores. The soft folds of the bodice form a girdle, and fitting around the armholes and across the bust meets a deep yoke of white renaissance lace of unusually handsome design with inserted motifs of guipure. At the back of the bodice the folds ended in two rows of shirring and a heading. The elbow sleeves are folded and shirred with a heading into a lace band. A white panel of lace in front, with inset ostagons of lace, surrounded with puffings of satin at intervals, is all the trimming on the softly gathered skirt.

Next in consideration to her wedding dress with the bride of today comes her going away gown, and for this the smartest of tailor mades is usually the selection. The coats, however, are many and various. There are the short frocks and frill type of jacket which extends to the waist line. Teh loose coats of box and tourist pattern are much favored by the slender. With these smart tailor mades are worn the sheerest and dainties of waists. Instead of a shower, some brides are now complimented by a circle of girl friends, who each present her with a beautiful lingerie waist of her own making to wear with the going away. It is needless to say that these waists are marvels of daintiness and beauty and are made of the sheerest, softest material.

As garden parties now play a prominent part in the bridal festivities the June bride must be provided with a number of pretty lingerie frocks with hats and parasols to match, for these occasions. The matter of hats for each gown is likely to become a bewildering one, but so stern are the decrees of Dame Fashion in this particular that it is necessary that the hats and gowns match.

All the best straws come in flower colors, and ostrich plumes may easily be dyed to match any of the fashionable tints, so it is really not so much of a task after all.

ELKS AT MADISON.

The C. M. & St. P. Ry will sell excursion tickets for the State Convention of Elks to be held at Madison, June 13th to 15th at $5.35 for the round trip. Dates of sale, June 12th to 14th, good for return until June 16th, 1905.

NOTICE TO PRINTERS AND BINDERS.

We, the undersigned, committee on printing and binding of the county of La Crosse, hereby request sealed offers and bids for doing the county job printing and binding for the year ending June 18th, 1906, as per schedule on file in the office of the county clerk. Also sealed bids for publishing the proceedings of the county board of supervisors. The contracts for such printing and binding will be awarded to the lowest bidder. Sealed itemized proposals for such printing and binding will be received at the office of the county clerk up to 2 o'clock p. m., June 16th, 1905. The committee reserves the right to reject any and all bids. The successful bidders will be requested to furnish bonds for the faithful performance of the contracts.

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It is not enough that we have attracted these gentlemen to our city. It is an honor to have among us a party of the leading scientists of the country. We will not have done our duty unless we show that we appreciate their presence here; they have selected this city for their meeting place because it was recommended to them by its natural attractions and the character of its people as we have advertised them. If these people do not show them the simple courtesy of calling on them for a few moments, they will be disappointed in us.

We said that there are men of wide reputation as scientists and healers in this convention. For instance, there is Professor Vaugh n of Michigan University. He was a member of the committee appointed by the government to investigate the outbreak of typhoid in the army camps during the Spanish-American war. He also is distinguished for having discovered ptomain poisoning in ice cream. He is enthusiastically interested in the blotting out of tuberculosis, and in him "the white plague" has one of its most effective enemies.

There is Dr. H. L. Russell, also. He is the bacteriologist of the Wisconsin Agricultural College, and is chairman of the state tuberculosis. commission, appointed by Governor La Follette. He did much to bring about the state appropriation of $90,000 to establish a state sanitarium for the cure of consumptives, and is an effective worker in the present campaign against the worst of all diseases. Dr. Bardine, professor of anatomy at the State University, is another specialist of wide note, and Dr. H. H. Young who holds the chair of surgery at Johns Hopkins University is known to every city in every civilized community. Dr. Oviatt, of Oshkosh, president of the State Medical society, is a widely known scientist; Dr. Mayo, of Rochester, is a surgeon of international reputation. Dr. Schmitterer, whose research work in anatomy has attracted attention, is a young specialist of reputation who is regarded as a coming seer; he is now in the Washington School of the Army and Navy, where he is continuing his great work.

These are but a few of the great men from abroad who will await your coming at the Stoddard tonight. You are invited to meet them and they expect to see you. Courtesy requires you to be present, and always courteous, the people of La Crosse will no doubt make this a social event that will be remembered with pleasure by the men of science from abroad in the whole land.

MILLIONAIRE WILL BE HIS OWN CONTRACTOR

HOW SEN. CLARK FOOLED BUILDERS

Senator William A. Clark, the Montana copper king, has established a unique record in the construction of his mansion at Fifth avenue and Seventy-seventh street, New York.

Surprise was occasioned a few days ago when he purchased the Henry Bonnard Bronze company for the purpose of supplying his new mansion with bronze, says the New York World.

Now it has been discovered that the bronze foundry is but one of similar moves made by Senator Clark since ground was broken in 1898 for his Fifth avenue home. Here is a list of the plants bought by him to defeat the plans of contractors to bleed him:

Granite quarry at North Jay, Me.
Stone finishing plant at Bangor, Me.
Marble factory at Ravenswood, N. Y.
Woodwork factory at Ravenswood, N. Y.
Decorative plaster plant at Ravenswood, N. Y.
Henry Bonnard bronze foundry, New York city.

The firm of architects employed by Senator Clark has established a new hard work record for the profession. Washington Hull, managing architect of the Clark mansion, had thick, curly hair when the work began; he is now gray.

The trouble for Senator Clark and his architects began when the Maine and New Hampshire Granite company gave notice of an advance on contract price. The firm had agreed to supply the white granite for the walls for $200,000. The quarry people suddenly demanded $650,000, claiming that alterations and additions to the plans for the mansion made the demand only fair.

Architect Hull was equal to the emergency. Anticipating possible trouble, he had employed agents who traveled through the Rangeley Lake quarries of Maine. So when the storm broke Mr. Hull knew that at North Jay, Me., there was a small unworked quarry of pure white granite that adjoined the quarries of the Maine and New Hampshire company. By some chance it had been overlooked by the big concern.

Sending the facts to the senator by cable, Architect Hull awaited the reply. It came fast, "Buy that quarry if possible."

Within twenty-four hours Architect Hull's agent was en route for North Jay. He returned with an option on the property. It is said that $20,000 was the figure.

Great was the consternation of the Maine and New Hampshire company when notified by Senator Clark's representatives that not only was their demand for $650,000 refused, but that the original contract for $200,000 had been nullified by their failure to meet its requirements. Greater was their consternation when Architect Hull and 200 laborers took possession of the little quarry on the borders of their own property.

Hurrying back from Europe, the senator decided that no contractor should bleed him again. He decided to establish a stone dressing plant. Then he decided that as a million dollars' worth of bronzes were to be used the only way to successfully escape the extortion of contractors was to own a bronze foundry. The same agreement held good as to woodwork and decorating plaster, and the senator added these to the list.

Architect Hull became president and treasurer of the new company to operate the Henry Bonnard foundry, which made a bid for general business while it devoted the most of its energy to manufacturing supplies for the Clark mansion. The foundry promises to be the only survivor of the plants bought by the Montana millionaire. It has many contracts and promises to make real money for the senator.

The granite quarry has shut down, and the stone dressing plant at Portland is for sale. They have served their purpose in saving the senator $500,000.

At the decorative marble, woodwork and plaster plants at Ravenswood, N. Y., the men understand the situation and work, or, rather, don't work, accordingly. Slow progress is being made. Architect Hull is distracted. When asked recently for the story in detail Architect Hull shook his head, pointed to his gray hairs and said:

"They were brown when we broke ground for the Clark mansion."

A Star Artist.



—New York Herald.

PROMINENT FIGURES IN EQUITABLE MUDDLE



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RETIRES FROM NEW YORK DETECTIVE FORCE



SERGEANT ROBERT McNAUGHT

(Special Tribune Dispatch.)

NEW YORK, June 6.—Gradually but steadily the old corps of headquarters sleuths who were under Inspector Byrnes, well known in every country of the world, is passing to the retiring line. Hardly a corporal's guard remains in Mulberry street to tell the old time detective stories. Only a few years ago when one stood in the Inspector's office and watched the men come in to report for duty the number that had passed the age of fifty was quite noticeable. They bore the marks of veterans, and their manner was that of the experienced and well seasoned pursuer of criminals. If one stands in the same room today and observes the men as they file in the preponderance of young men is very apparent. And it is only a matter of a short time when all the grayheads will have gone and the entire force will be composed of men with whose names the followers of criminal history are not familiar.

Robert, much better known the world over as "Bob" McNaught is the last to step out. He goes of his own accord at the age of fifty-seven, after serving thirty years in "plain clothes." He asked to be retired on half pay and he leaves the department without a scar on his record. During this long service he rose only to the rank of a sergeant, but he leaves with his pension of $1,000 a year with a good word for the bureau and a deep respect for the men under whom he served and also for the comrades he leaves behind.

Half Rates to Annual Meeting German Baptist Brethren, Bristol, Tennessee.

Via the Northwestern Line. Excursion tickets will be sold at one fare for round trip May 31 to June 2, inclusive, with favorable return limits. Apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern Ry.

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The Baltimore & Ohio railroad company has issued handsome new menues for its dining car service on its fast eastern trains. The menu includes all of the delicious dainties procurable at the finest hotels and is exclusive with the B. & O. The new menues are handsomely printed affairs.

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Via the Northwestern Line, will be sold at reduced rates for trains arriving at Madison on May 26, and by noon of May 27, limited to return until May 29, inclusive. Apply to agents Chicago & Northwestern Ry.

U. C. T. AT OSHKOSH.

The C. M. & St. P. Ry. will sell excursion tickets for the meeting of Commercial Travelers to be held at Oshkosh, June 9th and 10th at $6.30 for the round trip, dates of sale June 8th and 9th, good for return until June 12th, 1905.

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U. S. bonds to secure U. S. deposits	$ 70,000.00
With banks	694,534.33
With treasurer U. S.	9,000.00
In vaults	264,986.73
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	$1,038,521.06
Liabilities.	
Capital	$ 250,000.00
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LA CROSSE IS AGAIN AT THE HEAD OF THE STATE LEAGUE

By winning from Green Bay yesterday after a spiritless battle in which Green Bay failed to make a run, La Crosse was again placed at the head of the Wisconsin State baseball league.

The Green Bay team was shut out the score being 7 to 0.

Dodge, the La Crosse pitcher, did exceptionally good work, and allowed only five hits. Bachman was the star player of the day, securing four hits and a home run. The score by innings was as follows:

Green Bay	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0
La Crosse	0	0	1	0	1	3	0	2	0	—7

May Transfer Other Games Here.

Plans are being made by the managers of the local team to transfer the next series of games, that with Freeport, to this city next week owing to the large conventions which will be in session here then.

The teams are booked to appear at Freeport June 16 to 19. A liberal proposition has been made to Freeport to make the transfer but as yet no answer has been received.

OTHER LEAGUE GAMES

Oshkosh 8, Beloit 0.

BELOIT, Wis., June 7.—Oshkosh pounded Oathout unmercifully yesterday while the locals found Bebee a puzzle. He secured ten strike-outs, and Spellicey was the only man to hit safely. The score:

Oshkosh	0	1	2	1	0	0	2	1	*	—8
Beloit	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

Wausau 4, Freeport 3.

At Wausau—

Freeport	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	—3
Wausau	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	*	—4

Batteries—Steinberg and Karnell; Casper and O'Brien. Attendance. 400.

COIN OF THE RELM NAMED AFTER ANCESTER OF DR. VON BEUST

Perhaps there are few of the members of the medical fraternity which is now in session in this city who know that living in La Crosse at the present time there is a real live physician who not only represents one of the oldest families in the United States but is also a lineal descendant from Dr. Jacum von Beust of "Joachim Thal" from whom the name of the most popular coin in a physician's vocabulary is derived.

This man is Dr. M. von Beust, member of the La Crosse County Medical association, and a man who has practiced medicine in La Crosse for a number of years.

The now accepted symbol, by which wealth in the United States is measured at the present time, derives its name from a slang or rather colloqual title of the middle ages, but which nevertheless at that time had a high significance.

In the year 1562, one of the ancestors of Dr von Beust, Prof. Joachim von Beust, the owner of extensive silver mines in a valley in Prussia known as "Joachim Thal," a patron of the University of Wittenberg in Prussia, was authorized by the government in Prussia to manufacture and deliver to the government the coin of the country, for a long period of years. These coins were to be a standard for weight and purity, and to insure against their being counterfeited, the maker marked them with the name of the valley wherein was located his mine, "Joachim Thal."

These were issued to the government and circulated as the standard coin of the realm, being carried almost all over Europe and by Dutch traders to many parts of Asia, the northern parts of Africa and other countries.

Bearing no other verbal inscription than the name of the mine they soon became called "thalers" by the German people, which name has been used for the standard coin in that country since.

When the German coins became more common in Holland, a coin was also issued there, of the same value, by the Dutch government and this was named from the thaler, being called in Dutch "daaler."

These coins circulated for a long time in Europe and were well known. The Scandinavians called them "dalers," as did the Swedes, and farther east they were called "tallers."

When finally the Dutch reached America and settled at New Amsterdam, New York, almost the first thing which they did was to set up a mint and coin "daalers" pronounced almost the same as the American word dollar.

From this coin was taken the name dollar which was later selected by the United States for its standard coin.

The dollar is now renowned over the world but few who handle it daily, know from whence it derived its name.

Dr. von Beust of this city who is a lineal descendant of Joachim von Beust, and is proud of the fact that he can trace his direct lineal descendance from a ruler of Russia of the eighth century, has interesting records which substantiate his claims concerning the derivation of the name of America's and perhaps the world's most popular coin. He is a genial hospitable Southerner and although reserved and unassuming can tell interesting accounts of the works of his ancestors as far back as the year 800.

The doctor, who is unmarried, is one of the last members of the von Beust family. He was born in America, and is the only native born von Beust. He is popularly known as Baron von Beust, but this title he disclaims as he says that no man born in America can claim a foreign title although this is his by undisputed right, he having the blue blood of the noted von Beust family of Prussia coursing through his veins.

The only indication the casual observer will find about the doctor, of his noted ancestry, is the family coat of arms which hangs in his office, and the huge signet ring which he always wears.

The doctor is very unassuming and is seldom heard to mention his family except when asked concerning the Beusts, but nevertheless in spite of his dignified bearing and quiet reserve is one of the popular practioners of La Crosse.

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THE CONTINENTAL



TRAVELERS GO TO OSHKOSH WITH BRASS BAND

DETERMINED TO GET CONVENTION

Firmly resolved to secure for La Crosse the Travelers grand council of 1906, a large delegation of the local council accompanied by Dana's Third Regiment band and the La Crosse baseball club, as well as Mayor Torrance and several other city officials, left on a noon train for Oshkosh where theywill attend state convention which begins its three days' session there tomorrow.

The convention will open at ten o'clock with the registration of visitors and organization. A business session will then be held which will be followed in the afternoon by a reception for the travelers and their ladies at the Company B armory in that city.

At 3:45 the same afternoon a big parade of travelers will be organized which will conclude with a concert by the Oshkosh Arion orchestra.

In the evening a ball and banquet will be held at the armory and on Saturday while the travelers are assembled in the convention hall the ladies will be treated to a carriage and automobile ride.

Centenarian is Dead

CALUMET, Mich., June 8.—Salmi Smith, aged 100 years, the oldest resident of the Lake Superior Copper country, died at Hancock where she lived twenty-five years.

A NEW DAINTY SOUVENIR.

Mr. C. A. Krebaum has just placed on sale at several of the best stores in the city a New Souvenir of this city. The Souvenir is in the form of a folding box and contains twenty-four miniature photographs of Public Buildings, Churches, Streets and several of the most beautiful and interesting spots in and around the city, as well as several views of Steamboats and Scenes on the Mississippi River.

We anticipate that Mr. Krebaum will have a tremendous sale during the coming conventions as well as with the local folks, who will buy them to send to friends away from the city. Although the package contains twenty-five photographs it is mailable for two cents, unsealed.

The Souvenirs can be had at the following stores:

E. M. Young, druggist, Third and Main streets.

La Crosse News Co., newstand, 304 Main street.

Hebberd & Co., druggists, Fourth and Main streets.

Mrs. Lovejoy-Remick, Japanese goods, 308 Main street.

J. J. Poehling & Co., dry goods, Fourth and Main streets.

Campbell's News Stand, news stand, Fifth and Main streets.

Hoeschler Brothers, druggists, Fifth and Main streets.

Handy Dry Goods Store, dry goods, 931 Mississippi street.

John Kindley, duggist, 810 Market street.

A. F. Reitzel, dry goods, 409 Main street.

North La Crosse.

H. L. Partridge & Co., druggists, Gellette and George streets.

John Wolcott, news stand, 807 Rose street.

United States engineers have commenced work on the dam at the head of West Channel. The structure will be raised two feet.

CITY NEWS

Have Colby do your wiring.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women.

Dr. George Powell, consulting physician and surgeon.

The sheriff has secured no trace of Rev. Father Hofer.

Rev. R. Andersen is a business visitor at West Salem today.

Mr. E. E. Taylor of Chicago is a business visitor in the city.

It makes no difference how long you have been sick, if you are troubled with indigestion, constipation, liver and kidney troubles, Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea will make you wel. 35 cents. Ask your druggist.

Rev. Henry Faville will address the graduating class of the Tomah High school. Tomorrow night he will address the class of the Onalaska High school.

Wholesale and retail home-grown strawberries at Harris Bros., 421 Jay street.

Bids will be advertised for Saturday for the construction work on the new High school building. The contractors will be limited to July 15, 1906, in which to complete the work.

Obert Sletten of the north side has been appointed as a representative of the Athenae Literary society at Madison. He is the only La Crosse man interested in the debating work at the university.

Girls, if you want red lips, laughing eyes, sweet breath and good looks use Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. The greatest beautifier known. 35 cents, Tea or Tabetls. Ask your druggist.

The United States Express company has adopted a new way bill much more serviceable than the old large one. The bill is of the size of an ordinary bank draft.

Mrs. W. R. Gill and children of Louisburg, Minn., are visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. E. Atkinson of South Tenth street.

A new program of vaudeville will be put on at the Bijou theatre tonight.

Electric wiring. Colby, 605 Main.

Rudolph Spika of 1508 South Seventh street drew the handsome $10 oak rocking chair at the Bijou theatre last night.

The Elk club rooms in the Linker building are open to all visiting Elks and their friends during the conventions to be here this summer. A large number of Foresters enjoyed the privileges of the club last evening.

A marriage license has been secured by Mr. J. K. Ross, proprietor of the Log Cabin saloon and Miss Bertha Weldy. Both are well known.

The remains of Mrs. Elisa Schult, formerly of this city, were brought to La Crosse today. Mrs. Schult was 79 years of age and born in Germany.

Moritz Langstadt, formerly of this city, now director of the Symphony orchestra, one of the leading musical organizations in the Twin Cities, is a business visitor in La Crosse for a few days.

Mrs. E. L. Boley who has been visiting friends in Minneapolis for a few days has returned.

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The funeral of Henry Reichgeldt was held this afternoon from the German Evangelical church and interment was made in Oak Grove cemetery.

Miss Barbara Russell and Mrs. Evelyn Larson are at Winona where they participated last night in an organ recital at one of the leading churches.

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"Q" TRAIN LEAVES TRACK AT RUTLEDGE

An extra freight train on the Burlington left the track last night at Rutledge and so obstructed the track that the northbound limited was forced to come over the Milwaukee tracks from East Dubuque to Prairie du Chien, making the train four hours late in La Crosse. The engine of the wrecked train "jacknifed."

BARBERS' TEAM FOR BALL GAME

Arrangements are progressing fast and furious for the Printers-Barbers' baseball game which will be played at the La Crosse street grounds Sunday morning at 10 o'clock. The following is the line up of the Barbers' team:

Catcher—Denison.
Pitcher—Berger.
Shortstop—Anderson.
First base—Storandt.
Second base—Bach.
Third base—Loreings.
Right field—Krueger.
Left field—Nagle.
Center field—Schultz.
Subs.—Bucholtz, Stingle, Rosberg.
Mascot—Beth.

North Side Athletes.

Arrangements have been completed for a series of three games between the North Side baseball team and the Athletes of the south side for a purse of $75 and the city championship. The games will be played on the first three open Sundays. The first game will be played at the league grounds Sunday afternoon.

FLOYD LAKE WEDS

Miss Lou Kowalke and Mr. Floyd L. Lake were married last night at 8:00 by Rev. Julius Gamm of the German Lutheran church. Miss Kowalke is a daughter of Mrs. C. G. Kowalke of 1126 South Fifth street. Mr. Lake is a fireman on the C. B. & Q. railroad. Mr. and Mrs. Lake left for a few days' visit to Minneapolis. From there they will leave for San Francisco and the Lewis & Clark exposition. They will be at home after June 30 at Rock Island, Ill.

ELECTRICAL DISPLAY CREATS FAVORABLE COMMENT

The large "Welcome" electric sign across Main street at Fourth, and the electric flag which is suspended from it, created much favorable comment last night.

The Park store is gayly decked with flags in honor of the visiting delegates and it is expected by the convention committee that other business men will also display the national colors in honor of the events now here and those to convene within the month.

Read the Tribune—the only paper in La Crosse that dares to tell the truth.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of women.

SCATTER LAURELS.

The following verse by the author of Howard-Maybelle is contributed:

Drop the curtain of all silence;
Hush that voice, "the tale of woe,"
Scatter laurels of red roses,
Wave the laurels to and fro.

Wave them for the little children,
Wave them for the maiden fair.
They are love's bright purest emblems
And the roses do not care.

Do not care whom they are crowning.
So do wave them once again
For their fragrance and their beauty
Will make better boys and men.
—Langenbach.

County Taxes to be Raised

The board of revision recently appointed by Judge Fruit to investigate the assessment proportion between city and county taxes will be ready to report within two weeks.

It develops that the board has found that the tax rates in the rural districts have remained the same instead of being raised as the value of the property increased.

The commission was appointed by the judge on the petition of the city council which claimed that the city paid more than its share of taxes. The investigation will raise the county's share of the tax list considerably.

Follow the crowds to the Bijou.

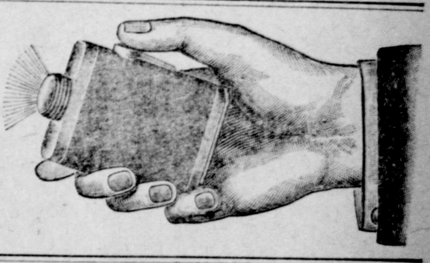
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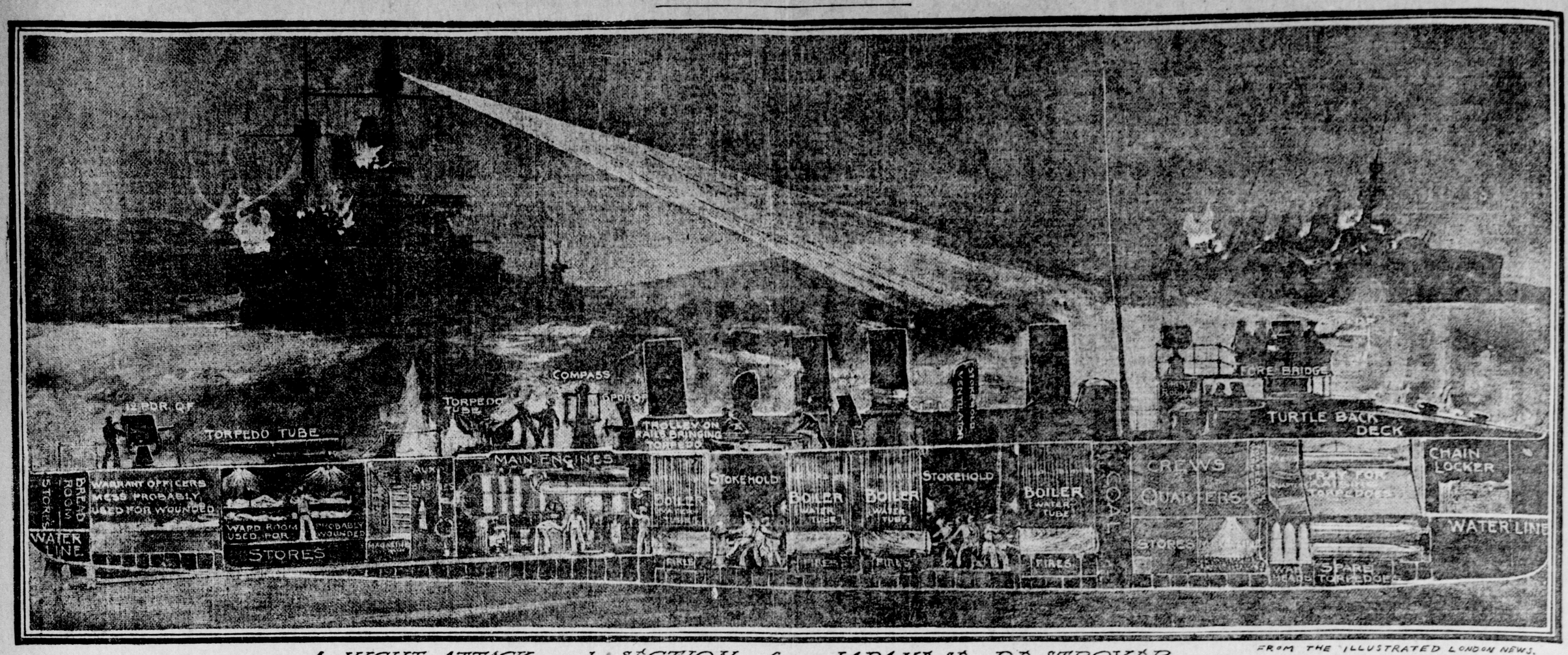
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A NIGHT ATTACK



A NIGHT ATTACK and SECTION of a JAPANESE DESTROYER. FROM THE ILLUSTRATED LONDON NEWS.

RUSSIA HAS DECIDED TO GO AHEAD WITH THE RED WAR

SAID TO HAVE INFORMED HER AMBASSADORS TO THIS EFFECT

Will not Ask Any Foreign Ruler to Mediate

Vienna, June 8.—It is learned here that the Russian government has informed its diplomatic representatives abroad, including Count Cassini, the ambassador at Washington, that the time for Russia to conclude peace has not yet come, and that when it does arrive Russia will open peace negotiations with Japan independent of foreign intervention.

St. Petersburg, June 8. — With Ambassador Meyer's delivery to the emperor yesterday afternoon of President Roosevelt's message tendering his good offices the prospect of the president's efforts to bring the belligerents together in peace negotiations is believed to be distinctly brighter. It is equally evident that the situation is an exceedingly delicate one. Ambassador Meyer, when seen by the Associated Press, absolutely declining to say a word regarding his visit to Tsarskoe-Selo, the mission with which he is charged, or the emperor's response.

Washington Now the Center of Interest.

The center of interest is again transferred back to Washington. Count Cassini has doubtless received instructions from the emperor. However, it will probably require some little time to finally decide whether success shall crown the president's efforts to end the war. It is the talk here among the foreign diplomats that President Roosevelt, when this dispatch reaches the United States, should be in possession of Emperor Nicholas' response to his tender of good offices. This talk is largely the result of the fact that Ambassador Meyer had a long conference with Count Lamsdorff at which he is supposed to have conveyed a personal offer from President Roosevelt of his good offices to settle the war. This visit was followed by one by Meyer in full uniform to the czar himself, and the sending later by Meyer of a long dispatch to Washington.

Alleged Wish of the Czar.

Washington, June 8. — Diplomatic Washington is aroused to a point of expectancy unequalled since the inception of the war in the Far East, by news from St. Petersburg that the czar wishes to know Japan's peace terms. This news came in a dispatch saying: "Instructions were telegraphed late this afternoon to Russia's ambassadors at Washington and Paris stating that Russia is desirous of learning Japan's terms of peace." There is no confirmation of this story here, nor does confirmation come from St. Petersburg. On the contrary a St. Petersburg dispatch says that "there is not the slightest surface indications of any change in the situation regarding the continuation of the war."

PEACE NEGOTIATIONS ARE ON

Chicago Strikers Finally Put Power to End the Fight Into the the Hands of a Committee.

Chicago, June 8. — The Chicago Teamsters' Joint Council, called among the union drivers the "teamsters' senate," has finally agreed to an ultimatum of the employers and has ordered the appointment of a committee to consider terms of settlement of the strike with the employers and has given that committee full power to settle without referring back to anybody—the last clause being the requirement of the employers. President W. J. Gibbons, of the Joint Council, is chairman of this committee and has the selection of its members, who are to represent every union interested in the strike.

The tug of war will come when this committee meets the representatives of the employers, chief of whom will doubtless be Attorney Mayer. The employers heretofore have declared that they alone have the right to say to whom their drivers shall deliver goods, and that on no account will they recede from this position. Those of the strike leaders who talk insist that nothing except an "honorable" peace will be accepted, and this "honorable" peace will leave the sympathetic strike and refusal to deliver goods to "struck" houses untouched and unlimited, according to their statements, at least so far as the express companies are concerned.

Local Markets

CHEESE.
(By Henry Andregg.)

Brick	13½
Twins	12@12½
Swiss block	15
Round Swiss	16
Long horn	15
Young American	15
German hand cheese per box	90
American full cream	14½
Limburger	14

WOOL.
(By La Crosse Wool & Fur Co.)

Medium wool	28@30

FRUITS.
(By John C. Burns.)

Cranberries, 100 qt. bbl	$4.00
Lemons, 300 California, per box	2.50
Bananas, per bunch	1.75@2.50
Messinos	4.00
Figs, California, per box	80c
Lettuce, per case	40c
Tomatoes, per case	2.50
Radishes, per doz	10c
Strawberries, 24 qts	2.00
Pineapples, 18 to 36 crate	3.00
Cabbage, old, per bll.	1.50
Onions, red and yellow, per bu	1.25
Parsnips, per bll.	1.50
Beets, per bll.	1.50
Carrots, per bll.	1.50
Turnips, per bll.	1.50
Potatoes, per bus.	25c
Dates, new, per lb.	5c
Cider, 16 gal.	2.50
Oranges, California navels, per box	2.75@3.50

FARM PRODUCE.
(By Hanley Com. Co.)

Creamery butter	20@22
Dairy butter	14@16
Packing stock	13½
Eggs	12@13
Full cream brick cheese	11c
Full cream Twins	12c
Full cream limburger	12½c
Full cream Swiss cheese	14½c
Full cream long horn	12c
Young American	12c
German hand cheese, per box	90c

WHOLESALE GRAIN.
(By R. C. Wallace.)

New barley	36@40
New corn	40@47
Wheat	85@95
Rye	56@60
Oats	27@29

POULTRY.

Live chickens	8@10
Live ducks	10
Live geese	9
Live turkeys	11@13

PROVISIONS.

Bacon	10½@11
Dried beef hams	14½@15
Hams	10½@11
Picnic hams	7
Sides	7@7½
Lard	8¼@9
Mess pork	13.50
Barrell pork short cuts	13.50
Back pork	14.75
Clear back	13.50

LIVESTOCK.

Cows	1.50@3.25
Dressed calves	5.00@6.50
Steers	2.70@4.00
Live calves	2.50@4.00
Hogs	4.40@4.80
Sheep	4.00@4.50
Heifers	2.50@3.50

Milling Products.
(By the Listman Mill Co.)

Patent, per bll	6.20
Straight, per bll	6.00
10c off for cash.	
Mill feed—	
Bran, per ton	15.00
Shorts, per ton	15.00
White middlings, per ton	16.00
Reddog, per ton	18.00

WOOD.

Hard maple, 4 foot, dry	4.75
Hard maple, green	4.50
Pine	2.50

(By John Gund Brg. Co.)

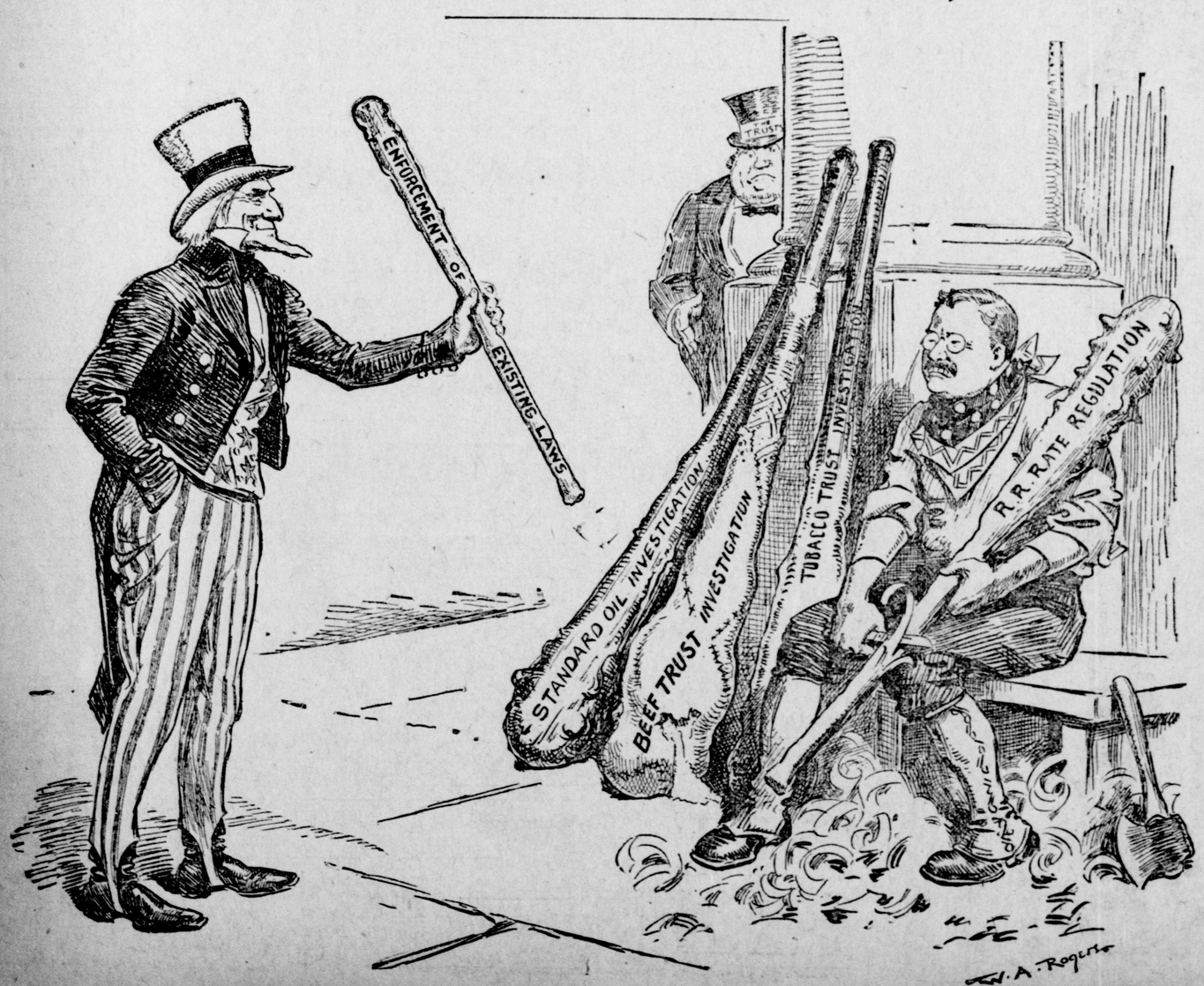
Superior quality dried grains, ton lots	16.00
Malt sprouts, ton lots	15.00

New Train Service Between Salem, S. D., and Sioux City, Iowa.

Via the Northwestern Line. A train will leave Salem at 6:00 a. m. daily except Sunday, arrive Alton 10:00 a. m., Sioux City 11.30 a. m. Returning, leave Sioux City 4:00 p.m. except Sunday, leave Alton 5:25 p. m., arriving Salem 9:20 p. m. These trains will run through without change at Alton, giving a very desirable addition to the railway service of points on the Northwestern Line between Salem and Sioux City.

Dr. Will Powell, diseases of woman.

UNCLE SAM---DID YOU OVERLOOK THIS ONE, THEODORE?



STORY OF THE CEDING OF NORWAY

NO OUTLOOK OF WAR HOWEVER

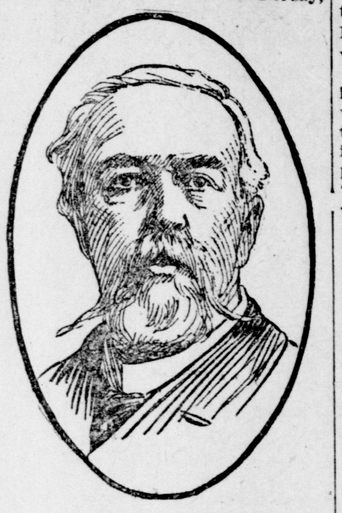
Christiania, Norway, June 8.—"Norway from today is a fully independent and sovereign state." This is the text of the editorials in the Norwegian newspapers, and it reflects the spirit with which the people of Norway accept the action of the storthing when it proclaimed King Oscar no longer king of Norway. Following is the resolution passed by the storthing unanimously and without debate:

Declaration of Independence.

"Whereas, all the members of the council of state have laid down their offices, and

"Whereas, his majesty, the king, has declared himself unable to establish a new government for the country, and

"Whereas, the constitutional regal power thus becomes inoperative, the storthing authorizes the members of the council of state, who retired today,



KING OSCAR II. OF SWEDEN.

to exercise until further notice as the Norwegian government the power appertaining to the king in accordance with Norway's constitution and existing laws with those changes which are necessitated by the fact that the union with Sweden under one king is dissolved in consequence of the king having ceased to act as a Norwegian king."

Draws a Historic Parallel.

An address to the king was also adopted, which says: "The course of developments which have proved more powerful than the desire and will of individuals has led to this result. The union entered upon in 1814 has, from the first hour, been differently interpreted by the two nations, both with regard to its spirit and letter. Efforts have been made on the Swedish side to extend the union, and on the Norwegian side to confine it to the limit laid down by the act of union, and otherwise to assert the independent power of both states in ali matters not defined in that act as coming under the union.

Refers to Misunderstandings.

"The difference of principle in the interpretation of the character of the union has provoked much misunderstanding between the two peoples, and has caused much friction in the interpretation which during the recent negotiations between the two countries has been laid down by Sweden as against Norway. The Norwegian people were bound to perceive the injury to their constitutional right, their independence, and their national honor.

Above the Union the States.

"The union was justified so long as it could contribute to the welfare and happiness of both peoples while maintaining their independence as sovereign states. But above the union there stands for us Norwegians our Norwegian fatherland, and for the Swedes their Swedish fatherland, while more valuable than the political union are the feelings of solidarity and voluntary cohesion of both peoples."

THEY STILL WANT A KING

Would Like to Enthrone a Prince of the House of Bernadotte.

The address also declares that no ill feeling is entertained against him, his dynasty, or the Swedish nation and asks him to co-operate in the selection of a young prince of the house of Bernadotte to occupy the throne of Norway.

At its meeting last evening the storthing adopted a proclamation to the Norwegian people in which is given a detailed account of the events preceding the passing of the resolution. This proclamation concludes as follows: "The storthing is sure that the people will join with it and with the government in maintaining the full independence of Norway, and with firmness and dignified tranquility submit to the necessary sacrifices; and it is further sure that all subjects will fully respect all ordinances and prescriptions from the government."

The proceedings throughout the momentous session of the storthing were marked by supreme good order and by the utmost dignity. The plans had been most carefully prepared, and nothing had been omitted to secure the inauguration of a new government under the best auspices. That the feeling was intense was evidenced by the great gatherings of people outside the storthing during the early session, and after the announcement of the result of the proceedings a quiet respect was shown the members as they left the building. There was not the slightest evidence of excitement, the people seeming to realize the responsibility placed upon them.

The storthing will if necessary defend the step taken by force of arms. If a prince of the house of Bernadotte should consent to occupy the throne of Norway he must give up all idea of succession to the Swedish throne.

KING OSCAR WIRES A PROTEST

Swedes Reply to Norway by a Patriotic Demontration at Stockholm.

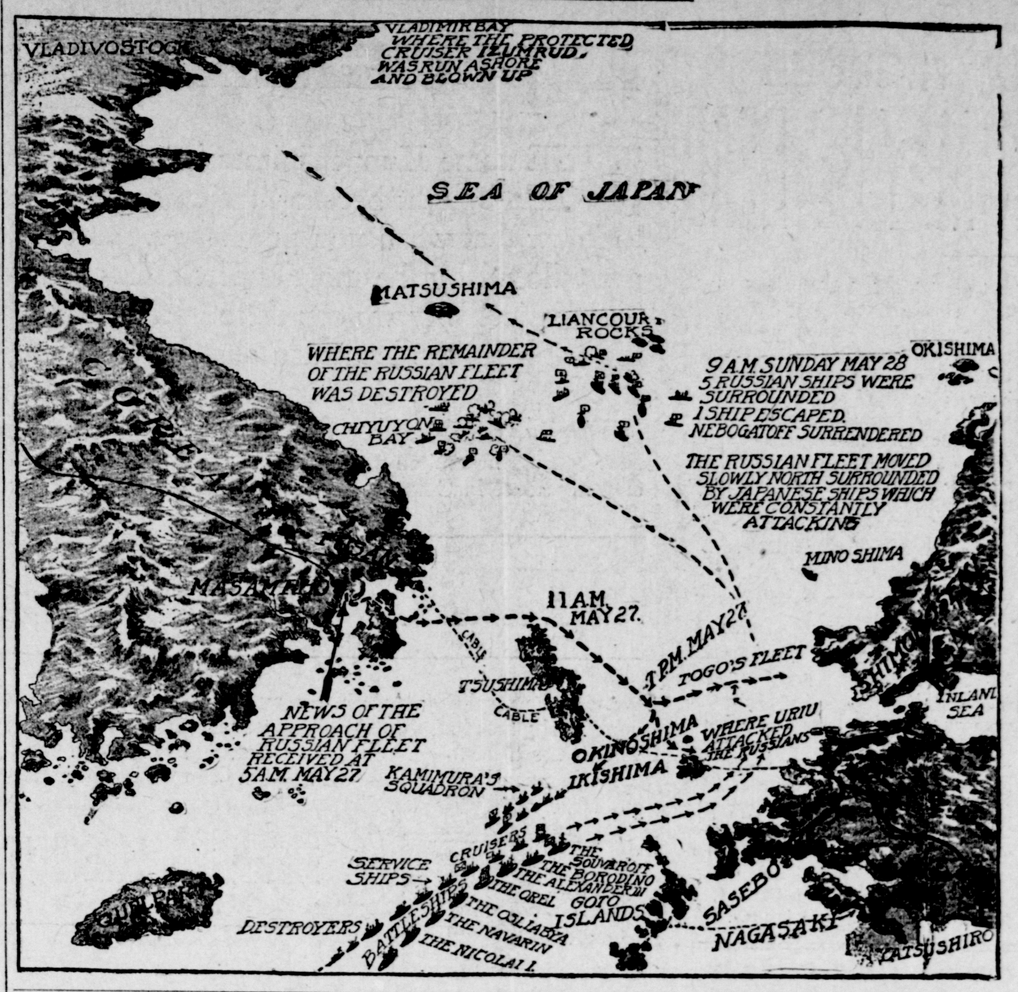
Stockholm, June 8.—King Oscar has sent the following telegram to Premier Michelson, of Norway, in reply to the secession from the union of that country: "Have received the communication of the council of state, and record my most decided protest against the method and action of the government."

The Norwegian coup d'etat was answered here by a great patriotic demonstration of loyalty to and sympathy with King Oscar. A great procession, accompanied by bands, went to Rosendal castle, where the bands played the national anthem. In a few minutes the king and other members of the royal family appeared on a balcony of the castle and were enthusiastically cheered by the demonstrators, while a number of ladies advanced from the crowd and presented the king with a bouquet. Though greatly excited over the situation the populace evinces no hostility toward Norway. King Oscar held a council in the evening at which the situation was considered.

Newspapers of Copenhagen, commenting on the action of the Norwegian storthing, take an extremely serious view of the crisis. The Nya Dagligt Allehanda says: "The Norwegian government has exceeded all limits, but undoubtedly it acted according to its conviction that it was for the country's welfare, and no Swedish party or politician will attempt to persuade or to compel Norway to maintain a union which had become a burden."

The Dagblad, of Stockholm, says: "The revolutionists have now unmasked themselves, and have trampled upon the union and upon their oath of allegiance to the king. As soon as possible all Norwegians employed in our diplomatic service must be removed. Sweden cannot be represented by men belonging to a country which organizes a revolution, dethrones its king and breaks all ties of union."

MAP OF GREAT NAVAL BATTLE OF THE SEA OF JAPAN



EXCURSIONS.

The C. M. & St. P. Ry. will sell excursion tickets for the following events at very low rates:

For National Baptist Anniversary at St. Louis, Mo., May 16th to 24th.

For Norwegian Celebration at Minneapolis, May 16th and 17th.

For General Assembly of Cumberlad Presbyterian Church at Fresno, California, May 18th to 26th.

For dates of sale, rates, limits, etc., call at ticket office.

Extra Senate Session

Dixon, Ill., June 8.—A special session of the Illinois senate will be held at the summer home of Senator Charles Hughes the latter part of the month. Senator Hughes had invited Governor Deneen and all the members of the senate to participate in a two days' outing at Hazel wood, on the Rock river, three miles from Dixon, and the invitations are marked "special session."

Governor Deneen and most of the senators have accepted. The plan is to have the gathering June 21 and 22. Senator Hughes says there is no politics in the event, as all factions and both parties will be represented at the meeting.

The Tribune is the only La Crosse paper that has at heart the interests of the people.

The Tribune Want Column

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

WANTED—Lady to attend office, five ladies for copying by hand and several ladies to make pillow covers. We also have several other lines of pleasant home work. Experience unnecessary; positively no canvassing, nothing to sell; can be done at home during leisure hours. Materials and instructions furnished. Apply 107 South Eighth street.

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WANTED—Competent girl for general house work, 419 South Fifth street.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Automobile runabout. Enquire 510, Main street.

WANTED—ROOM WITH BOARD

WANTED—Room and board in private family by young woman employed during the day. Must be pleasant and homelike. Address 317 West Avenue North.

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FOR RENT—Rooms over 507 Main street. Rear entrance. Suitable for housekeeping, workshop, or both. Frank G. Roth, Sixth and Main.

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WANTED—Boys and girls in bottling department. John Gund Brewing Co.

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WASHING—Or house cleaning done. Call 3456, old phone.

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In Effect May 15th, 1904

	LEAVE	ARRIVE
For Prairie du Chien, Dubuque, Chicago, St. Louis, intermediate pts. and connections beyond	12:15 night	8:30 a. m.
	12:19 noon	8:09 a. m.
For Winona, Alma, Prescott, St. Paul, Minneapolis, Duluth, Winnipeg and Northwest	8:30 a. m.	12:15 night
	8:09 a. m.	12:19 noon

CHICAGO, MILWAUKEE & ST. PAUL.

	LEAVE	ARRIVE
Chicago, Milwaukee and the East	3:05 a m	3:10 a m
	:12:10 p m	:7:05 a m
	:11:10 p m	:10:55 a m
	:12:40 a m	
	3:55 p m	5:20 p m
Dubuque, Rock Island Omaha and West	a 12:01 p m	a 11:30 a m
	a 3:40 p m	a 4:45 p m
Southern Minnesota Division	a 10:40 a m	a 11:20 p m
	c 7:20 p m	a 3:45 p m

: Daily; a, daily except Sunday; c, daily except Saturday.

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN R. R.

	LEAVE	ARRIVE
Chicago, Milwaukee, Madison and East, Duluth and Superior	a 7:50 a m	b 5:30 a m
	a 12:45 p m	a 12:20 p m
	b 10:40 p m	a 5:30 p m
Trempealeau, Galesville, Winona, Owatonna and West	a 5:30 a m	a 7:50 a m
	a 12:20 p m	a 12:45 p m
	b 5:30 p m	b 10:40 p m

References: a, daily except Sunday, b, daily.

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In effect June 21, 1903.

Train leaves La Crosse 8:15 a. m. Connects at Marshland with train leaving Winona at 9:15 a. m. Arrives at Merrillan 12:15 p. m., connecting closely with trains north and south on the Omaha road. Connects closely with Wisconsin Central trains at Amherst Junction and arrives at Green Bay 6:15 p. m. Coming west: Leaves Green Bay 7:00 a. m., Amherst Junction 9:35, Stevens Point 9:25, Merrillan 12:55 p. m., Marshland 3:30 p. m. Arrives at La Crosse 4:40 p. m.

A train leaves Merrillan daily (except Sunday) at 7:40 a. m., arriving at Winona at 11:20 a. m. Leaves Winona at 5:00 p. m., arriving at Merrillan 8:30 p. m.

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As previously stated we not only need room, but on account of the return of many instruments from several agencies and the receipt of 3 carloads of beautiful 1905 model Pianos, direct from the factories with whom we contracted, demands the unloading of from 50 to 75 Pianos and makes this sale compulsory.

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We Are Going To "Let The Prices Do The Work"

$250	Pianos	going	at	-	$158.00
265	"	"	"	-	165.00
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TRAIN PLUNGES THROUGH BRIDGE; FOUR MAY BE DEAD

MENOMONIE, Wis., June 8.—Number 1 passenger train on the Wisconsin Central west bound, plunged into Red Cedar, from the high steel bridge, one mile west of Colfax yesterday. Engineer George Phillips, Fireman Severns, and five tramps, who were riding on the blind baggage, are missing and are believed to have been drowned.

The engine, tender, baggage, and mail cars went down with the bridge and are buried in the flood. The baggageman climbed out of a window and the mail clerk crawled through a ventilator as the cars plunged into the water and both had narrow escapes. The smoker stands on one end in the river.

Passengers Badly Shaken.

The passengers were badly bruised and shaken up, but none was fatally hurt. All climbed to the top end of the car and got out. The rest of the train remained on the track and was returned to St. Paul. The center pier of the bridge had been undermined by high water and as the train reached the middle of the bridge it gave way and precipitated the front end of the train twenty feet into the river.

The present high water has wrought extensive damage in this county. Red Cedar river has risen to a point 20 inches above high water mark, registering nine feet above normal stage today. Both wagon bridges and an old saw mill were washed away out here. also a wagon bridge at Irwington, three miles south of here, the long railroad bridge of the Milaukee road and a lumber yard at Downsville, eight miles down the river, and a wagon bridge at Dunnville, twelve miles south.

Serious Wreck Near Watertown.

WATERTOWN, Wis., June 8.—A freight wreck, caused by the heavy rains softening the roadbed of the Chicago and Northwestern railroad, occurred three miles north of this city yesterday. Ten cars were derailed. Charles Hanson, a section man from Janesville, was seriously injured by the tipping over of a car which he was unloading. He is at the Emergency hospital here. Two others, Harry Miller and John Connell, of Janesville, were slightly injured.

CHICAGO GRAFTERS GET $700 ON OSHKOSH ROULETTE WHEEL

OSHKOSH, Wis., June 8.—Chicago gamblers recently in the city, but for the vigilance exercised by the owners of a local joint and the police department would have netted nearly $700 as winnings for one night's work.

Three real professionals came up from Chicago and visited the place conducted by John Allen over a saloon on Main street. They made their winnings on a roulette wheel, a large part of which was paid in certificates of deposit. The owner of the place nearly had heart disease when he found out after the gamblers had left that he had lost nearly $700 by a notorious old game.

The wheel had been tampered with. The German silver partitions for the pockets of the wheel had been removed and replaced by others, some of which were a composition of copper and lead thinly plated. The original partitions are hard and the marble used will bound from them, but the softer guards failed to cause the ball to bound, and there was thereby a certainty that the ball would land in a certain series of pockets. It is not known how the men gained an entrance to the gambling room to fix the machine.

The police were notified by the owner, but gambling coming under the ban of the law and being illegal, they were not bound to assist the owner in recovering his money. It is known, however, that the gamblers were taken before the police and later left the city. It is claimed that settlement was made with Mr. Allen by the men, they returning the certificates of deposits. The chief of police denies that he has any knowledge of a return of the money. It is stated that the men also returned the partitions taken from the wheel.

Ever since the affair the people of the city have been wondering what kind of a shake-down was employed to induce the gamblers to give back part of the money.

ATHLETES CLAIM BROWNS ARE AFRAID TO PLAY

Editor Tribune:

La Crosse Browns fear the Athletes, and refuse to meet the contract they have drawn for Sunday's game. The contract called for a series of three games at $40 per game. They (the Browns) claim to be the champion amateurs of the city, but failed to prove it; and the title virtually belongs to the Athletes.

Last season the Athletes asked the Browns for an engagement. The response was "We do not wish to play with kids." The latter part of the season the Athletes played a series of five games with the Browns which the "kids" proudly walked off with. Although these "men" fear to meet the "kids" again the Athletes are willing to give the Browns a series of games without critical remarks or dropping a contract.

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NEW MANAGER AT GREEN BAY

GREEN BAY, Wis., June 8.—Martin McQuaid of Chicago resigned the management of the local league team and has been succeeded by Ernest Vanerman of this city, who was on the State league umpiring staff. Pitcher John Corcoran has been released and other dismissals are expected in the the plan to raise Green Bay from the tail end.

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MAN SWALLOWS HIS TEETH; ALMOST CHOKES

MILWAUKEE, June 7.—With two false teeth and a metal plate, two inches long and one and one-half inches wide, firmly embedded in his throat, almost opposite the collarbone, J. J. Miles, the veteran head waiter at the Plankinton house journeyed all the way from Chicago, early yesterday morning, to have the offending object removed. The operation, one of the most delicate of its kind, was performed by Dr. Charles H. Lemon at Trinity hospital and the patient is now out of danger.

Mr. Miles had gone to Chicago on a brief business trip and retired to his room in a hotel, shortly after midnight. He wore a plate with two front false teeth in it and neglected to remove it when he went to bed. Shortly after 2 o'clock yesterday morning he was awakened by a choking sensation in his throat and discovered that he had swallowed his teeth. A physician was summoned and when he arrived, another was called. They made an examination and decided that the teeth had passed down his throat and into his stomach.

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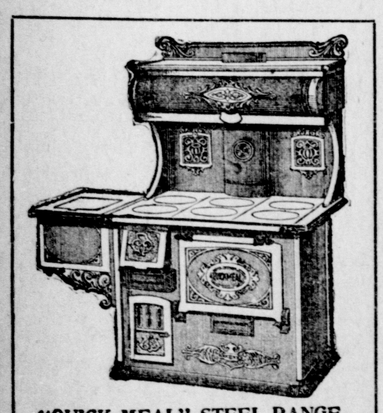
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